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For Boston,

The new and fast sailing schr ANDES, Calvin Bourne master. She has half her cargo engaged, and will sail in a few days. For freight of 500 barrels, apply to T. H. HOWLAND, or the master on board.
april 19 3t

For Sale or Freight,

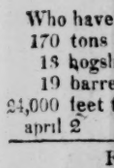
The brig Levant, William Malcolm, master; burthen 200 tons, carries about 1600 barrels, sails fast, is well found, and will be ready for the reception of a cargo in five days.

Apply to

Lawrason and Fowle.

Who have for sale said brig's Cargo of
170 tons Plaister Paris
18 hogsheads } N. England Rum
19 barrels }
24,000 feet two inch plank.
april 2

FOR FREIGHT,



Ship Maria, burthen 3500 barrels, is a well built substantial vessel, in complete order for the immediate reception of a cargo.

ALSO

Ship Wilhelmina, burthen 4000 barrels; is in prime order and can be ready to receive a cargo in a few days.

Apply to
Lawrason and Fowle.
March 25

For Boston & Portland,

The superior brig
Milo,
Wm. Salter, master will commence loading on Monday. For freight apply to the master on board at Central wharf or to

Lawrason & Fowle,

Who have for sale, received by said brig,
25 hogsheads N E rum
200 boxes mould candles
100 do brown soap
10 barrels tanners' oil
5 boxes white Havanna sugars
20000 feet plank
60 tons plaister Paris
april 5

For Freight,

The brig Commerce,
John Wade, master, carries one thousand six hundred barrels, a substantial vessel, in good order and will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days. Apply to

Lawrason & Fowle.

Who have received per said brig from Newburyport and for sale.
50 barrels New England rum
3 cases hats
March 19

For Boston & Newburyport,

The brig Fame, W. Davis, jun. master; will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days and take five hundred barrels on freight. Apply to

Lawrason & Fowle,

Who have for sale, said brig's Cargo, consisting of
120 tons Plaister Paris
50 barrels New England Rum
450 Fish Barrels
1000 bushels Potatoes.
april 8

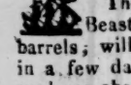
Oats and Rye Flour.

JOHN G LADD AND CO.

OFFER FOR SALE,

THE CARGO of sloop Traveller, from New York, consisting of
3600 bushels Albany Seed Oats
77 barrels (new) Rye Flour.

For New-York,



The sloop TRAVELLER, J. Beaston, master; burthen 600 barrels; will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days. For freight or passage apply as above.
april 10

Whiting, Brown Stout, &c.

BARNEWALL & POPHAM offer for sale, received per schooners Juliet and Hazard,
10 hhds. whiting
12 casks Hibbert's (bottled in London) brown stout
2 casks German scythes
20 bbls. prime pork
200 bushels white potatoes
300 do Albany oats
40 bbls. N. E. Rum
3 hhds. muscovado sugar

For New-York,

The schr JULIET, a regular trader, will be ready in a few days for the reception of a cargo, and will take freight low; for which, or passage, apply on board at Merchant's wharf, or to

Barnewall & Popham.
april 17 1w

For Fredericksburg,

The schr COMET, Allen Scott, master; will carry about three thousand bushels, take freight, and sail in two or three days. Apply to the master on board, at Ramsay's wharf.
april 18 3t

For Freight,

The Schooner STORK, *David Soule* master, burthen about 700 barrels, is a good vessel, will be ready for a cargo in 4 days, and take freight for the West Indies or Coastwise. Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have for sale,

Said schooner's cargo of
60 tons Plaster Paris
20,000 feet Lumber
15 cords Hemlock Bark
They have also landing from schooner Republican, capt. Bangs,
30 tons Swedes Iron, square bars of of 1,1 1-8, 1 1-4 inches
50 boxes mould Candles
April 18

GROCERIES, &c.

80 chests imperial, young hyson, and hyson teas, superior quality
4300 pieces short yellow nankeens } *First Chop*
2600 do long do do }
150 bales burlaps, ticklenburgs, Hessians, creas dowlas, white and br. platillas, estopillas & Britannies
200 boxes half pint, pint, & quart tumblers and decanters
20 casks best German steel
50 dozen German scythes and straw knives
1 cask brass wire, for stair carpet rods
150 hogsheads, 25 tierces and 50 barrels muscovado sugars
40 puncheons third and fourth proof Antigua rum
10 pipes superior Sicily Madeira wine
100 boxes soap and candles
30 barrels no. 1 and 2 beef—
For sale by
CHARLES I. CATLETT,
Irvin's wharf.

For Freight,

The brig FANNY, Capt. Merrill, burthen about 900 barrels.
april 15 *Apply as above.*

FOR BOSTON AND PORTLAND

The brig Nimrod,
Captain Prince,
will be ready to receive a cargo in two days, and take freight for either of the above places. Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Who have for sale, said brig's cargo, of 150 tons Plaister Paris.
april 4

Hardware & Cutlery.

The subscriber has a few casks Hardware and Cutlery, which he will sell very low for cash or on a short credit.

HE HAS ALSO,

A handsome assorment of Good, opened,
With a general assortment of
FANCY GOODS.

☞ Country merchants and others will find it to their interest to call and see the Goods.

John Johnston.
King street, opposite the Washington Tavern, Alexandria.
March 4

GROCERIES.

THE subscribers have just received and offer for sale,
6 hhds and 20 bbls first and second quality sugars
4 hhds 10 bbls good molasses
4 hhds 40 bbls whiskey, Baltimore inspection
10 kegs ground ginger
4 bags race do
15 casks cheese
10 boxes gunpowder tea } *STAG's*
4 chests young hyson do } *Cargo.*
1 bale writing paper
100 reams wrapping do
50 do tea do
20 dozen leading lines,
10 do bed cords
3 bags alspice
2 do pepper
2 tierces rice
30 boxes mould and dipt candles
4 kegs Richmond tobacco, Dunlap's manufactory
15 boxes No. 1 and 3 chocolate
20 bags coffee
8 kegs Garret's snuff
5 boxes fig blue
5 do mustard
1 barrel starch
25 bags assorted shot
D. P. & Co's, Brandywine gunpowder
Loaf sugar, copperas, alum, St. Peter's salad oil, indigo, with a general assortment of wines, liquors and groceries as usual. W. &. F. MARBURY.
april 12 tf

New-England Rum.

12 Hogsheads New-England RUM, landing on Bayne's wharf, from schooner *Liberty*, from Boston—For sale by
BARNEWALL & POPHAM.
April 14 1w

Young Hyson Tea.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received per schooner Liberty, and offer for sale,
5 chests Young Hyson Tea, of latest importation. april 14

JOHN KETTELL & CO.

HAVE just received per schr. Liberty from Boston—
200 Iron Tea Kettles
22 boxes Tin Plates
10 do 8 by 10 Window Glass
Grindstones, Plough Moulds, an assortment of cut Tacks—few boxes ladies straw Bonnets. april 14 tf

N England Rum, Sugar, etc.

This day landing from schooner Native, from Boston—
80 barrels N. E. Rum
Hhds and bls Muscovado Sugar.
IN STORE,
50 barrels tanners' oil
45 boxes dipt candles
30 cask cut nails, assorted sizes
50 casks Thomastown lime
Boston no. 1 beef—brown soap
Keg raisins
Soal leather—bags pepper
Mens' coarse shoes, etc.
For sale by
Dunbar & Townsend.
March 25 tf

JOHN WOOD,

HAS removed his cooper's shop to King-Street, in the shop lately occupied by Mr. Talbott. Where he is prepared to execute the orders of his friends with punctuality and dispatch,
He will constantly keep on hand articles in his line, particularly flour barrels
March 8

Bryan Hampson and Co.

Offer for sale,
5 puncheons old Jamaica } RUM
30 do fine flavored 3rd & 4th proof Antigua }
40 barrels NE Rum
60 barrels prime green } COFFEE
100 bags white }
20 bags pepper
5000 bushels Liverpool fine and ground allum salt
500 sacks fine salt
With a general assortment of Groceries, and the best flour for family use.
March 26 tf

Just received.

And for sale by the subscriber,
25 kegs tobacco, superior quality
50 bags coffee
1 hhd and 8 bls prime Muscovado sugars.

Wm M. Chick
March 10

The Subscriber offers for Sale,

At his Warehouse, Tucker's wharf,
3,000 bushels Turks Island salt
Antigua rum in hogsheads and barrels
Whiskey in ditto
New England rum in ditto
Madeira wine in pipes, half pipes and quarter casks
Sherry in ditto
Chewing tobacco in kegs—small twist
Nails in kegs assorted
Candles in boxes
English white lead ground in oil
Milled sheet lead
2 boxes servant's glossed hats made of fur
10 bales English sacking
2 ditto do canvass, No. 3 to 6,
All of which will be sold low by
James Sanderson.
March 25 tf

John G. Ladd & Co.

Have received and offer for Sale,
300 casks Thomastown lime
200 casks Rhode Isand do
200 tons plaister Paris
1000 bushels Cadiz salt
1 bale English seine twine
1 pipe Lisbon wine
9 kegs manufactured tobacco
3 tierces furs
April 1

Twenty Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber living near Fairfax court house, on the 15th of January, a negro man named JESS—he is about 23 years of age, about 5 feet 11 inches high, dark complexion. He had on when he went away a dark cloth coat, domestic cloth pantaloons and various other cloathing. I will give the above reward if he be taken 25 miles or upwards from home and secured so that I get him again; and, if nearer, ten dollars.

Susannah Powell.
Fairfax County, Virginia,
March 6—19 eotf

Notice to Grocers.

The old establishment of John May, deceased, Tobacconist, situate 3 doors below Marsteller's auction room and opposite Matthias Snyder's paint and oil store, on Prince street, is now revived and carried on more extensively in all its branches than it ever before has been done—under the firm of

Jonathan C. May and Co,

Customers are invited to apply, where they may be furnished with the following articles at wholesale and retail, on the best terms for cash.

VIZ.

Prime cavendish
Ditto small twist from 8 to 10 per lb
Second quality do
Pigtail in rolls
Best Spanish segars warranted
Half Spanish do
American segars
Smoking tobacco in papers
Maccoboy snuff
Rappee and Scotch, in bottles and bladders.

N. B. Several thousand weight of tobacco stems for sale.
March 26

Fresh Teas.

THIS day landing from the schr Juliet, from New-York,
20 chests choice Gunpowder, Imperial and Young Hyson TEAS, of this spring's importation, and selected particularly for family use.
For sale by
BRYAN HAMPSON & Co.
april 17

JOHN G. LADD & CO.

Have received per brig Economy from Boston,
And offer for sale,
128 tons plaister paris
6 hhds. and 30 barrels } muscovado sugar
1 pipe Lisbon Wine
20 barrels apples
2 cases straw bonnets and hats of various patterns

IN STORE,

75 tons wedes iron
25 tons Russia old sable iron
100 pieces Russia sheetings
140 Ravens duck
25 Russia duck
16 bales India goods, consisting of
Beerbsom Gurrahs
Movi sannahs
Comercolly, chittabillyand luckipore baftas
Auzengin mammoodies
Madrass Handkerchiefs
Blue Gillas
Mock pullicat
1 bale German dowlas
20 pieces sattinetts
1500 yards tow cloth
30 cases mens' fine and coarse hats
16 cases and barrels mens and boys fine and coarse shoes
1000 sides prime NE soal leather
120 reams writing paper
Wrapping and sheating papet
1 keg Faxons' axes
30 casks cut nails
12000 lbs cordage assorted sizes
80 boxes long and short pipes
8 dining setts Canton china of 85 pieces each
6 hhds and 8 crates blue printed and common Liverpool Ware
10 boxes 9 by 11 London crown glass
500 bushels Liverpool blown salt
40 sacks do do
400 boxes mould and dipped candles
50 barrels tanners oil
100 boxes Florence oil
80 boxes double refined brimestone
Boxes Spanish chocolate
100 boxes No. 1 and 3 chocolate
10 barrels mackarel
5 barrels gross herrings
20 kegs pickled salmon
95 quarter casks sherry wine
4 pipes Madeira do
16 pipes Catalonia do
5 pipes Teneriffe do
2 pipes Lisbon do
40 kegs sweet Malaga do
20 do dry Malaga do
20 demijohns Madeira do
Boxes Spanish chocolate
32000 lbs prime St. Domingo coffee
14 boxes hyson and 10 boxes young hyson tea
20 barrels muscovado sugar
25 cases white & brown Brazil sugar
2 hogsheads molasses
50 barrels NE rum
700 lbs cassia
15 kegs ginger
15 kegs raisins
30 half boxes Spanish segars
110 barrels No 1 beef
Mahogany furniture, consisting of bureaus, wash and candle stands
An assortment of Hingham ware, consisting of nests boxes, nests measures, barrel covers, buckets, etc.
Mast hoops and hanks
10 tons fustic,
april 4

Whisley

16 Hogsheads } Whiskey,
34 Barrels }
For Sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
April 18.

Lawrason & Fowle

Have received per the schooner Native, Capt. Mayhew, from Boston, and for sale,
62 tons plaister Paris
150 bls N E. Rum
50 bags Havana green coffee
50 do Sumatra pepper
700 reams wrapping paper
2 bales Burbour gurrahs
3 checks
2 Sooty romal
4 bales of hops.
March 25

LINDSAY AND HILL

OFFER FOR SALE,

2000 bushels Albany seed Oats
15000 do salt for packing and striking fish
100 bags Havanna green coffee
20 hhds West India rum
13 bales cotton
6 hhds. 4 bls. and 10 boxes sugar
10 do whiskey
120 tons plaister
50 do logwood
March 31

SALT AFLOAT!

Three thousand bushels, coarse salt; bright and clean. For sale on board the schooner LOTTERY. Apply to
MORDECAI MILLER.
April 15 d2w

NANKEENS,

FIRST chop, long and short pieces, just received from Boston, and for sale by
ISAAC ROBBINS
April 15 d1w

Notice,

TO the Creditors of THOMPSON VIOLETT, deceased.—A third dividend of the assetts of said estate is hereby declared by order of the Orphans' Court for the county of Alexandria, payable on Tuesday the 22d instant.

ISAAC ROBBINS,
Adm'r to Thompson Violett, dec'd.
april 15 d10t

Pork, Candles and Soap.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received per schr Mary, from Baltimore, and offer for sale,
50 bbls. prime pork
60 boxes yellow soap } of superior quality
5 do white do }
85 do mould candles } manufactured in Baltimore, and can be recommended for the use of families.
april 15

Potomac and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery,

25th DAY'S DRAWING.

4532, first drawn No. prize of $1,000
10776, a prize of 100
7419, a prize of 50

First drawn number on Friday next, entitled to 100 Tickets, from No 10,801 to 10,900 inclusive.

☞ TICKETS for sale by
april 15 R. GRAY.

Lawrason & Fowle,

Have now landing and for sale,
50 bags fresh FILBERTS
12 hogsheads New England RUM.
april 15

Salt afloat.

On board the ship Wilhelmina at Central Wharf
9000 bushels Lisbon salt suitable for the Fisheries
For sale on board, or by
Lawrason & Fowle,
Who have in store for sale
5000 bushels coarse St. Ubes salt
1500 sacks Liverpool blown do
March 8

Mandeville & Larmour,

offer for sale,

60 hhds whiskey
50 barrels do
80 barrels Northern rum
15 puncheons West India do
20 hhds. New-Orleans and Muscovado sugars
750 bbls. do do do
10 hhds. New-Orleans Molasses
24 boxes brown Havanna sugar
220 bags green coffee
15 casks Goshen cheese
20 boxes } Chocolate, No 1 & 2
10 half do }
252 lbs. Flotant and Bengal indigo
20 kegs ground ginger
500 almonds
50 nutmegs
10 boxes Windsor and Rose soap
1000 bushels blown salt
1000 do. ground alum do.

Imperial, hyson, young hyson and souchong teas, refined sugars and general assortment of wines liquors and groceries as usual. April 5

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THE PRINTER'S SOLILOQUY.

'Tis strange! 'tis most prodigious strange
That our subscribers are so careless grown
'Bout paying their arrears. They cannot think
That we alone, who publish to the world,
News from all nations and delight to spread
Useful instruction thro' our spacious land
Can meanwhile live on air; it is flesh and blood
That works the press, and turns the blacken'd sheet.
Well stored and ready for their eager eyes.
This flesh and blood must be recruited oft
As well as theirs; or soon the press must stop.
This call for CASH, and then how many reams
Of paper are struck off and scattered wide,
For which no length of credit will be given.
If given at all, besides the types and ink
And many things required by those that print
For which our money must be answerable.
Oh, that our readers would consider this!
And while they laughing look our papers o'er
And gather information from its page,
Would pause and this one simple question ask,
"Do not I owe for one, two, three or more
Years past, the Printer who supplies me with
This sheet," and oh! that he would only add—
"I will go even now and pay him"—So should we
Well pleased receive and with light heart pursue
Our useful toil; while conscience would applaud
Their conduct and give relish to the zest
We may prepare. Come then, good friend and SOON.

Spanish official Account of the attack on Barcelona.

Translated for the Baltimore Patriot.

From the Carraccas Gazette of Feb. 26, 1817.

The operations of the army, from the 6th to the 10th Febuary are contained in the following despatch of General Real.

After a difficult march from the cantons of Orituco and Chaguaranras, with a scarcity of water and provisions, I arrived on the 6th inst. at Pillar, where I received information of the situation of the enemy in Barcelona. From persons worthy of credit, I learned that Bolivar, with 1000 men, armed with arrows and fire arms, had fortified himself in a convent, where he had mounted six pieces of artillery, one of 16, two of 12, two of 8, and one of 6, supplying himself with provisions to resist a long siege.

Notwithstanding the difficulties that presented themselves, I determined to reconnoitre Barcelona, and assure myself of the truth of what had been told me; as I did not wish to be deceived in the least of my operations. At 5 in the morning of the 7th, I marched to Juncal, where I encamped and joined the division of Clarines, and at 12 at night I marched on the city.

At sunrise, after uniting the column of chasseurs and the division of Clarines, commanded by colonel Bansa, I directed them to take possession of the bridge, which separates the city from the suburb called Portugal, with the design of intercepting the communication with Marino, and observing him at the same time in case he should approach, as I repeatedly understood he intended.

Whilst this officer and colonel Gimenez resisted the constant attacks and efforts made by the enemy to recover the bridge, I attacked them on the opposite side of the city, and succeeded in driving to their strong position such of the inhabitants as had marched out to interrupt us. A firing was kept up during the day, and the rebels were repulsed in every attempt, and, I am persuaded, had they not been so well fortified with rum, as some prisoners confessed, that they would not have been so obstinate in their attacks. Having reconnoitred to my satisfaction, the position of the bandits, I made dispositions to join Bansa, with the rest of the army, & at 4 o'clock I marched, until I approached his left flank, at the same time directing col. Urriztieta, with two companies of Granada, and three of his corps, to enter the city, and to enclose the enemy anew. This was performed, and my expectations were realized.

The small loss sustained by the army, as exhibited by the annexed statement, is in a great measure to be ascribed to the ardour of the troops. Each corps has admired the conduct of the others. The loss of the enemy will exceed 300, in killed, wounded and missing.

Notwithstanding, that my designs were accomplished, I wished to make a last stratagem, to draw the enemy from their position, and in order thereto I made dispositions for a retreat to the neighborhood of the place, where I remained some hours; but observing their prudent conduct, and obliged by the scarcity of provisions, and the fatigue of the troops, I proceeded to Juncal, where I encamped and remained until 12 o'clock of the following day with the same design; but not having observed him to make any movement, I returned to Pillar, and cantoning the division of Clarines at Piritu, I await cannon to batter the edifice fortified by the rebels, with a certainty, that on obtaining them their destruction is the work of but a few moments. Your excellency may be assured, that if I had had the good fortune to meet with our squadron on the coast and it would have assisted me with a few pieces of large calibre, Bolivar, with all his defenders, would have been at this moment in my power.

When the chief of the staff marched to possess himself of the mouth of the river, an unavoidable misfortune happened to the women, who were embarking, as four insurgent privateers, keeping up a heavy fire caused many to perish.

Here follows a detail of the services rendered by, and compliments to particular officers. Number of killed, and wounded in the affair of the 8th, 18 killed and 50 wounded, 6 missing—total 69.

In consequence of these opperations, says the Carraccas Gazette, the city of Barcelona remains blockaded from the 10th, by all the roads excepting that of Cumana. On the 12th, the royal squadron, which was returning to Cumana, attacked four vessels which it encountered near the port of Barcelona, canonaded them and pursued them so closely, as compelled some of them to ground. The squadron then proceeded to Cumana, from whence it will shortly return.

The Gazette of the 5th March, says, on the 26th of Feb. the squadron returned from Cumana, with the artillery required. On the 27th, the active Chason caused the Canejo, a beautiful pilot boat, grounded on the 12th, to be raised; and finding her not much injured, has determined to arm her. The rebels presented themselves on the shore to impede this operation but a few cannon shot caused them to disappear. The forces of the royal squadron are in possession of the Moro, and the vessels anchored before it.

On the 14th of Feb. Gen. Morillo was at the village of San Fernando, and would shortly be in the town of Calabozo.

From the Boston Centinel.

CHINESE CRIMINAL LAWS.

A copy of the translations of extracts from the Chinese Criminal Code of Laws (which are circulated among the Americans and English at Canton, &c.) has lately fallen in my hands; and as it may afford some information respecting the customs of that remote and apparently benighted nation, you are requested to give them a place.

Yours &c. MERCATOR.

TRANSLATIONS

Of Extracts from the Chinese Criminal Code of Laws.

1. A man who kills another on the suspicion of Theft, shall be strangled according to the law against Homicide committed in an affray.

2. A Man who fires at another with a musket and kills him thereby, shall be beheaded as in case of wilful murder; if the sufferer is wounded (but not mortally) the offender shall be sent into exile.

3. A Man who puts to death a criminal, who had been apprehended & made no resistance, shall be strangled according to law against homicide committed in an affray.

4. A Man who falsely accuses an innocent person of Theft (in case of greatest criminality) is guilty of a capital offence; in all other cases the offenders whether principal or accessories, shall be sent into exile.

5. A Man who wounds another unintentionally, shall be tried according to law respecting blows given in an affray, and the punishment rendered more or less severe, according to the degree of injury sustained.

6. A Man who, intoxicated with liquor, commits outrages against the laws, shall be exiled to a desert country, there to remain in a state of servitude.

The foregoing are articles of the Laws of the Empire of China, according to which judgment is passed on persons offending against them, without allowing of any compromise or extenuation.

From the Richmond Enquirer.

The following is an extract of a letter, written by *Thomas Jefferson*, to J. L. ———

MONTICELLO, January 21, 1811.

SIR,—You have asked my opinion on the proposition of A. M. to take measures for procuring on the coast of Africa, an establishment to which the people of colour of these states might from time to time be colonized, under the auspices of different governments.

Having long ago made up my mind on the subject, I have no hesitation in saying, that I have ever thought this the most desirable measure which could be adopted for gradually drawing off this part of our population; most advantageous for themselves as well as for us. Going from a country possessing all the useful arts, they might be the means of transplanting them among the inhabitants of Africa, and would thus carry back to the country of their origin the seeds of civilization, which might render their sojournment here, a blessing in the end to that country. I received in the last year of my entering into the administration of the general government, a letter from the governor of Virginia, consulting me at the request of the legislature of the state, on the means of procuring some such asylum, to which these people might be occasionally sent. I proposed to him the establishment at Sierra Leone, in which a private company in England had already colonized a number of negroes, and particularly the fugatives from these states during the revolutionary war. And at the same time suggested, if that could not be obtained, some of the Portuguese possessions in South America as most desirable. The subsequent legislature approving these ideas, I wrote the ensuing year (1802) to Mr. King, our minister in London, to endeavour to negotiate with the Sierra Leone Company, and induce them to receive such of those people as might be colonized thither. He opened a correspondence with Mr. Wilbeforce and Mr. Thornton, Secretary of the Company, on the subject; and in 1803, I received, through Mr. King, the result* The effort which I made with Portugal, to obtain an establishment for them within their colonies, proved also abortive.

You inquire further, whether I would use my endeavors to procure for such an establishment security against violence from other powers? Certainly—I shall be willing to do any thing I can, to give it effect and safety. But I am but a private individual, and could only use endeavors with individuals; whereas, the National Government can address themselves at once to those of Europe, to obtain the desired security, and it will unquestionably be ready to exert its influence, with those nations to effect an object so benevolent in itself and so important to a great part of its constituents. Indeed, nothing is more to be wished, than that the U. States would themselves undertake to make such an establishment on the coast of Africa. Exclusive of motives of humanity, the commercial advantages to be derived, from it might defray all its expenses.

Accept the assurance of my respect and esteem.

THOMAS JEFFERSON.

* NOTE *by the communicator.*—Which was unfavourable owing to circumstances which do not exist at the present time.

In the march of a detachment of our Indian army, under the command of sir Geo. Holmes, from Baroda to Palempore, in the territories of his highness the Guicawar, two young officers of the 56th regiment were amusing themselves, during a halt, by snipe shooting. They had been beating the jungles on the bank of the river, and one jungle they had repeatedly tried in vain. They were, however, surprised by a tremendous roar and the sudden spring of an enormous tiger from this very jungle. Lieut. Wilson, on whom the animal sprung, upon his recovery stated, that he neither saw, nor heard, nor felt more, than the monster's mouth was close to his own. His companion, Lieut. Smelt saw the tiger's spring: he gave a backward cat-like stroke with his paw, and on Wilson's fall he smelt to him, paused for a moment, and then leapt off, as a cat would have done if disturbed at a meal. Smelt, expecting Wilson had been killed, reached the camp, and immediately sent the dooly, (a sort of palanquin) bearers to the spot. They found the gentleman alive, but insensible; his flesh had been torn away from the head downward to the lower part of the back, and a wound also on the thigh—in all 19 wounds. A half eaten buffalo was found in the jungle; luckily for Wilson our Tiger had dined. We are happy to add, that the wounded gentleman is now living and well; both the sportsmen will be rather more cautious, how they go snipe shooting in India.—*Lon. Pap.*

Extract of a letter from the Rev. Mr. Thom, a Missionary at the Cape of Good Hope, to Dr Swift, of the United States Navy, dated, the 16th of April, 1817

"I lately received six cases of Bibles sent in lieu of those taken & carried into Boston. We are delighted to hear that the Massachusetts Bible Society helped to check the flood of evils attendant upon war. This brings to my mind painful facts. In the fatal affair before New-Orleans 22 of the members of our Church here fell, including an elder of the church in the regiment, (the 93d highlanders,) and forty six were wounded. Out of the original numbers 159, [members of the church regularly formed in that regiment] only about forty survived the campaign. One of the elders who lost his leg, and lay on the field of Battle among the dying and the dead from morning till sun-set, says, that he heard many round him speak of the happy days spent here, and that my name was on the lips of a many a few minutes before they expired. From all accounts, I am disposed to think, that many were pious who did not belong to the church; and from the above, I am sure they thought in their last moments on a better name than mine; for I directed them to Jesus, the blessed Christ. You may easily suppose how painful this affair has been to me, to lose so many of my brave and pious countrymen, and many of my own spiritual children. O that the Gospel might take deep root in the hearts of the rulers of the world and then they would learn the art of war no more. A Mohometan said to me a month or two ago, "how comes it to pass, that Europeans are said to be all Christians, and yet they hate one another."

A calculation has lately been made in N. York of the yearly sum that is squandered in that city for the purchase of ardent Spirits of retailers, which is found to amount to ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS!!! "A sum sufficient, says the Albany Gazette, to purchase at 10 dollars a barrel, 165,250 barrels of flour, or enough to supply the whole inhabitants of New-York with bread for a year. The same would also purchase 500,000 loads of wood, a quantity sufficient to supply the whole city and county for the same period.

NEW-YORK, April 14.

Latest from Port au Prince.

Captain Fairchild, of the schr. *Vestal*, who arrived this morning in 20 days from Port au Prince, contradicts the rumour of the Death of Petion. His imperial Highness had been seriously indisposed; but, before the Vestal sailed, he had pefectly recovered his health.

The Privateer True Blooded Yankee, Captain Jewet, was off Cape St Nicholas, on the 26th of March, with a Spanish Polacre Ship, as prize in company. The ship when captured, was bound from La Vera-Cruz to Porto Rico. The privateer, had recently touched at Port au Prince, where 40 of her crew had deserted.

BOSTON, APRIL 14.

LATEST FROM ENGLAND

We have London accounts to the 12th, and Liverpool to the 17th Feb. but they furnish very little news of interest. The political discussions in the British Houses of Parliment, were highly pacific and conciliatory; and some of the petitions for reform and retrenchment of the public expenditures had met the decided disapprobation of many leaders of opposition. Even sir Francis Burdett had refused to have any agency or concern whatever, in the petition of the Spafields meeting, which Lord Cochrane and Mr Hunt had caused to be assembled, to the number of 6 or 7000. This mark of disgust at their proceedings, with the firm stand which had been taken in parliament to protect the laws and constitution, occasioned the adjournment of this mob assemblage, for six weeks: when the party retired, without committing any other act of violence, than that of breaking ina few of the windows of the *Courier* printing office.

French accounts state that the king had been restored to perfect health that tranquility reigned throughout the country; that the loans had filled up; and the public funds in full credit, and daily rising in value. Prince Talleyrand appears to have lost his influence with the king; tho'he is not entirely prescribed. On a late court occasion, he wished to take his seat as Lord Chamberlain, but was informed there was no seat provided for him. Lavalette is residing with his relations in Germany. Jerome Bonaparte has taken up his residence in Upper Austria.

The subsequent article is copied from the London Courier, of the sixteenth Jan. 1817.

Hamburg, Dec. 31.

The American and English Journals have for some time past circulated various disquieting reports of a misunderstanding between the United States and Russia, and as a proof, have announced the recall of Mr. Daschkoff and the Consul General, M. Kosloff. We know for certain, however, that a perfect understanding again prevails between the two governments, that the American Charge d'Affaires at St. Petersburg has long ago re-appeared at Court, and that the Secretary of the President of the United States. M. Coles, who arrived lately from Russia, and stopped here a few days, has brought a confirmation of the adjustment of the differences. As his mission related to that object, what he says on the subject, merits the fullest confidence.

From a Brussels paper of Feb. 1.

"Letters from Cambray now state, that it is generally reported there, that the right wing of the army of occupation is to be diminished in the month of March next. It is said that the Duke of Wellington himself considers the maintenance of tranquility in France as so secure, that the diminution of the army of the allies in France will not be attended with any danger, and that this dissolution, under present circumstances of distress, cannot fail of having a very favorable effect on the people's minds to the advantage of the royal government. These reports have already produced a happy effect on the inhabitants of the northern French departments. Cargoes of corn continue to be conveyed by Maese and Mosselle for the Russian and Prussian troops in France."

NEW-YORK, April 17.

The British Packet Francis Freeling, James Cunningham, Esq. commander, arrived last evening, with the February mail. She sailed from Falmouth on the 24th February, and left Bermuda 9 days since in a gale of wind. Passenger, Col. Grant. The Necton Packet arrived at Falmouth on the 4th of Feb.

The London papers contain nothing relative to the markets later than was received by the Amity, from Liverpool; and as to political affairs, we find nothing of interest.

Captain Cunningham left a London paper of the 22d Feb. at Bermuda, but says it contained no news.

Washington, April 19.

A shocking accident occurred yesterday at Bladensburg, between ten and 11 o'clock, an explosion in the powder mill belonging to Mr. Buzzard of Georgetown. The ignition of the powder took place in the pounding mill, as we understand, probably from the friction. Two men passed in a moment from time to eternity and two others were dreadfully maugled or wounded—the one a white man with a family, the other a man of color. The injury to the works, it is understood, cannot be repaired at a less expense than five thousand dollars. The explosion, it is believed, occasioned no injury beyond the limit of the works.

John W. Massie and Co.

Have just received at their Hardware Store on King street, next door to Roberts and Allen—

A quantity of Plough Plates and Swedish tire iron—also, an assortment of bench and moulding planes of a superior quality; Waldron's cradling and grass scythes, spades and shovels; broad hoes; best N. Scotia grindstones; iron trace chains; frying pans; flax gill; mahogany and maple frame looking glasses; mill, cross cut, pit & hand saws; Crowley and Swedish steel; English & American blistered do; together with a general assortment of Goods in their line—all of which they will sell on good terms.

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ALEXANDRIA:

MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1817.

THE LETTERS OF MR. WARDEN.

At least the small specimen we have had of them in the National Intelligencer, are extremely interesting. The style is of that clear, unaffected kind which constitutes the principal charm in good epistolary writing, and casts over narrative an air of authenticity and truth. No one that lives in "this breathing world" more devoutly execrated the projects and practices of Bonaparte than myself—no one more abhorred the man, or, as I was wont to call him, the monster, or regarded him with less mercy, or even christian charity than I did while he had the power to do mischief; and indeed such was the mixture of horror and hatred, of doubt and apprehension with which I always contemplated his character, while he possessed the power of doing harm, absolved as he seemed to all moral restraint, from all awe of God or man, from every check of conscience or remorse; that I used to consider every thing in life precarious that lay within his reach, and had at length come to consider the intelligence from Europe as positively felicitous when it contained no account of some new enormity of his perpetrating. In common with all who thought of French affairs as I did, his progress filled me with consternation, and I gave up my heart to the merciless policy of fear. *But he has fallen*, & I am now desirous to go more than half way to meet any circumstance that can be pleaded in mitigation of his offences. I feel a desire to hear that his *motives* were not always as black as his actions; and though I consider the jacobin doctrine that "the end justifies the means" as perfectly damnable, yet having for years thought that his ends were as flagitious as his means, and in short that his soul was all shade without one ray of light, I now, that he has become the subject of harmless contemplation, feel a disposition such as I believe a christian ought to feel, to receive with pleasure, every information that has a tendency to redeem him from the imputation of being a perfect unalloyed devil.—I remember that I once abhorred and regarded as a very fiend, the celebrated *Suwarroff*—his slaughter in cold blood of 30,000 Turks at Ismail, made an impression on my mind which his services against the French in Italy could never efface—but I confess that it a little palliated my abhorrence of the man, though not of the deed, that he acted under a persuasion that it would be ultimately beneficial to mankind to render war as terrible as possible. An execrable doctrine; but still so far applicable to the argument, as it shewed that however bad the act was, the man's motive was not founded in pure malevolence. The operations of the human judgment however, are so constantly refracted by the association of collateral ideas, that it is very hard when a man has long been regarded as a Satan *in propria persona*, to think of him without a conceit of smelling brimstone. A sublime idea is a thing that a warm imagination does not like to part with, and to make Bonaparte appear less than the devil himself, would be to strip his character of a great part of that sublimity, which affords so much delightful speculation to the curious in such things. Every act of Napoleon, even his eating a mutton cutlett with his bare fingers, must by association have something dire in it. His sneezing must be a volcano, as furious as Ætna, and the noise of his watch-chain the clanking of fetters in Hell. It is related of an acute, sensible, good natured lawyer in England, that was much inured to association, that having read that when Kotzebue was pardoned by *Paul the mad* of Russia, the first sounds of liberation that reached that exile's ears, were the words "*prowdawolaja swobodni*" ever after imagined and maintained those words which cannot be pronounced by us without violent exertion, pain and distortion of the countenance, to be of themselves, independent of their meaning, the most soft, harmonious and delightful to the organs of hearing in the world. In short, that to his taste the "*formosam resonare doces Amaryllida sylvas* of Virgil, was high death in comparison with them

When I have read all Mr. Warden's letters, I will under these impressions, make some remarks upon them which I will send to you for publication. I cannot, like Falstaff, "fear that Gunpowder Percy, though he be dead"—and now that Napoleon is caged, can speak of him in the true spirit of christian charity, toleration and justice. CURIO.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA.

FROM THE

Exchange Coffee House Books, April 19.

ENTERED,

Sch. Philadelphia, Hand, Philadelphia; 10 days; Freight for sundry persons of the District.

MEMORANDA.

Brig Orlanda, at Boston 14th inst. up for this port.

Brig Cobbossee-Contee, Hews, cleared at Boston 14th inst. for this port.

Brig Lark, Knight, arrived at Boston 14th inst—reports spoke 14th, lat. 44, lon. 69, brig Boxer, from Portland, bound to this port.

Schr. Two Sisters, Sawyer, at Portland, 12th inst. to sail for this port next day.

Schr. George Washington, Middleton, hence, arrived at Norfolk 16th inst. three days.

U. S. schr Hornet, lieut. com. Claxton, arrived at Charleston, S. C. 7th inst. In her came passenger capt. Geo. Fletcher, late of the schr Brother's Return, of this port.

Port of Philadelphia, April 16.

Arrived, brig General Gates, Captain White, 11 days from Havanna. April 6, off Orange Key, was brought to and boarded by the Mexican brig Invincible, Captain Jewitt, (late the True Blooded Yankee); the boarding officer took all the brig's papers, letters, &c.—found a bill of lading for two cerroons of cochineal, shipped for account and risk of Messrs Gonzales & Cabrera, of Havanna; these they claimed as prize goods; they then broke open the hatches, and turned up the cargo on deck, until they found the cerroons, which, with a packet of despatches for Don Onis, after giving a receipt, they carried off.

Port of Boston, April 13.

Arrived this forenoon, brig Gleaner, Prisbury, 28 days from Port Royal, Martinique. Left at St. Pierres 10th ultimo, ship Juliana, of New York; brigs Jan Clark, New Haven, leading; Richmond, Bradford, Rhode Island, do; Fornax, N. Orleans, discharging; schrs Wilby, for Washington, NC. do; Mentor, for Newbern, do; brig Prospect, from Wa hington laying off and on; and several vessels cl and for Boston, and other eastern ports. Markets for American produce in general low and in great plenty, excepting articles of bread kind, viz.—Flour $20, payable in doubloons at $16—rice from $10 to 12 by cargo—peas and beans none at market—codfish from 4 1 2 to 5—beef Nos. 1 & 2, 12—pork scarce and none at market—Indian corn had been sold four weeks back for $12 per barrel, but was on the decline—tobacco, fit for segars, from 18 to 20 ds. and plenty at market—lumber, of every kind and quality, low and plenty—naval stores very unsaleable—island produce scarce and high—molasses 35 cents cash, by way of barter 50 to 40 cents. The reason that molasses is so high & scarce is owing to the planters keeping back their molasses because the currency is bad, and a great prospect of its being called in by the government, in consequence of which they would lose from 35 to 50 per cent. They therefore prefer keeping their molasses till it is ascertained what the determination is. The opinion in general is, the mocoes will be called in, and redeemed according to their weight. Should this be the case, there would be a general stagnation of business.

NOTICE.

☞ A general meeting of the subscribers of shares in the Alexandria Canal Company, will be held in the town of Alexandria on the 12th day of *May next*, at the City Hotel, agreeable to law.

april 21

NOTICE.

IN consequence of being entitled to three negroes in the possession of Wm. Hummer, of Loudon County, Va. by the names of Susan, Jery and Sam, which I did demand before two witnesses, on the 18th day of April 1817, of said Hummer, and shall prosecute at law to obtain them under a deed of gift from Samuel Doset and Mary his wife, to their daughter Sarah Doset, (my wife) and for to prevent said negroes to be conveyed of, or sold to some innocent purchaser, I now give this notice to prevent others from suits, &c. and being deceived in the purchase. WM. C. NEWTON.

april 21 4w

For Sale,

OUR interest in the Property, corner of King and Royal sts. (being one half) now in the occupancy of W. & J. Marbury, John Austen, Jonathan Schofield and Prestly Jacobs.

WM. A. HARPER,
JAS. HARPER.

april 21

Cheese.

FIFTEEN hundred weight first quality CHEESE, just received and for sale by

ANTHONY RHODES.

april 21 3t

Fresh Teas by Auction.

On THURSDAY 24th, at 11 A. M.
At our Stores on O'Donnell's Wharf,
WE SHALL OFFER FOR SALE,
A quantity of FRESH TEAS,

Imported in the ship North Point, which were selected with great care by an excellent judge, and are expected to be equal to any imported into any part of the United States the present season—They consist of

307 chests young hyson
180 half chests do
112 qr do do
416 chests hyson
25 qr chests do
18 half qr chests do
150 boxes 10 catty each do
50 boxes 25 catty do
160 quarter chests hyson skin
6 do do imperial
40 half qr chests do
50 boxes 10 catty each do
7 qr chests gunpowder
1 half do do
10 do do do 41 catty each
25 boxes do 25 do do
50 do do 10 do do
45 do do each containing 202 lbs cannisters
50 half chests souchong, very fine
258 chests do

The terms will be liberal and will be made known at the time of sale,

HARRISON & STERETT,
Auctioneers.

Baltimore, April 21 3t

Groceries, &c.

ROBERTS AND ALLEN, have for sale,

100 chests and boxes gunpowder, imperial and young hyson teas, of this spring's importation, and of first quality
20,000 wt coffee in bags, principally 1st quality green
1,500 do Java coffee, selected for ret'g
Brown sugar in hhds and bbls
Loaf sugar of various qualities
20 hhds West India spirits
80 bbls New England rum
1500 wt best Dutch madder
400 do refined saltpetre
Spanish flote, and Bengal indigo
Mould and dipt candles in boxes
Chocolate do
Raisins in boxes and kegs
Pepper, allspice, nutmegs, ginger
English and American mustard
Ground allum and blown salts in sacks, and loose
150 tons plaister.

On consignment from the manufacturers.

100 kegs Bauduy's American gunpowder, warranted of 1st quality
4 tons Spark's American patent shot assorted sizes.

☞ They have constantly for sale, best superfine Flour, selected for family use.

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Whiskey.

TWENTY ONE hogsheads Pennsylvania rye Whiskey, just arrived by capt. Caleb Hand, and for sale on moderate terms. HUGH CAROLIN,
Queen, between Fairfax and Water sts.

april 21 3t

To Rent

A CONVENIENT well finished *Brick House*, on West street, fit for a genteel family—Or the one now occupied by the subscriber.

JAMES SANDERSON.

april 21

Aromatic Snuff

FOR CATARRH & HEAD-ACHE.

This Snuff; as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance, as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh, and slow nervous head-ache, is used, and approved, by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge in Massachusetts; and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the U. States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr. Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary; whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by

J. KENNEDY & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria.

april 21

Wanted to hire,

BY the month or year, a female House Servant. For one who can come well recommended, liberal wages will be given. Enquire of the Printer.

april 19 3t

CASH,

AND the highest prices will be given for a number of

Likely young Negroes,

With good titles—by applying at Mr. Legg's, upper end of King-street. Enquire for

E. BREWER.

april 18 3tf

Muscovado Sugar.

JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received per ship America, and offer for sale 88 hogsheads prime Muscovado Sugar

ALSO,

per schooner Franklin, from Norfolk,
½ half pipes London particular Madeira Wine, of superior quality

april 18

SALES AT AUCTION.

By JOHN JACKSON & CO.

Unlimited Sale.

THIS DAY, at 10 A. M.

At our Auction Rooms, Union street, (without reserve) to close an invoice of Goods just received—

2 cases cotton cambrics 9-8 & 6-4
1 ditto super prints, good patterns
1 dimities & cot. shirtings
2 bleached domestic do
2 unbleached do do
1 domestic checks
2 ginghams
1 elegant colored Canton crapes
1 cotton shawls, suitable for season
1 elegant silk shawls and veils
1 Irish linen shirtings
1 super dowlas
1 elegant levantine and silk hdkf
1 bale super cloths, together with a general assortment of PRIME GOODS, which will positively be sold for the most they will bring.

april 21

By P. G. MARSTELLER.

Book Auction.

On MONDAY EVENING, 7 o'clock, Will be sold at the auction store of Philip G. Marsteller, corner of Prince and Water streets,

A large and general collection of BOOKS, consisting of upwards of seven hundred volumes, theological, medical, and miscellaneous. Among which are,

Dr. Robertson's works
Shakespeare's plays
Dr. Blair's sermons, in 2 vol.
Fielding's works
Milton's works
Bonaparte's campaign
Fox's works, &c. &c.

Also, a general assortment of Stationary, viz.

Post paper
Foolscap ditto
Russian quills
Pencils
Telescope, &c. &c.

Catalogues will be delivered previous to the sale, and the books open for inspection on Saturday and Monday.

april 18

TO-MORROW, at 10 A. M.

Will be sold at the Vendue store corner of Prince and Water streets,

Superfine and second cloths
Flushings
Flannels
Domestic cottons
Platillas
Furniture
Ginghams
Madapolanes
Jaconet leno and book muslins
Men's and women's silk & cotton Hosiery
India blue nankeens
Cotton shirtings
Madrass handkerchiefs
Ladies long kid gloves
2 Cases cotton umbrellas

ALSO,

Sugar in barrels
Queensware in crates
Wrapping paper
Chocolate
10 Kegs spike nails
Men's fine & coarse shoes

April 21

On THURSDAY next,

Will be sold on the premises (on a long credit)

The 2 story frame Dwelling House & Lot of Ground, situate on Queen street, between St. Asaph and Pitt streets, adjoining the property of Mr. Thos. Brocchus. april 19

By virtue of a deed of trust to the subscriber, will be exposed to sale, before the door of the City Hotel, on SATURDAY the 17th May, at half past 12 o'clock—

TWO LOTS of GROUND, with all the Improvements thereon, situate at the intersection of King and Fayette-streets, in the town of Alexandria. The first beginning at the northwest corner of the intersection of said streets, and running northwardly with Fayette street one hundred feet to a ten feet alley thence westwardly with the alley sixty-one feet eight and a half inches, thence southwardly with a line parallel with Fayette street one hundred feet on King-street, thence eastwardly with King st. sixty one feet eight and a half inches to the beginning. The second beginning at the north west corner of the intersection of the aforesaid alley with Fayette street and running northwardly with Fayette-street sixty six feet seven inches, thence westwardly and parallel to the said alley and King street one hundred and twenty three feet five inches, thence southwardly and parallel to Fayette street sixty six feet seven inches to said alley, thence eastwardly with said alley one hundred and twenty three feet five inches to the beginning. TERMS, $1000 in hand, and the balance on a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, for approved endorsed negotiable notes, together with a lien upon the property.

WM. HERBERT, jun.
Trustee.

P. G. Marsteller, aust'r.

april 14 dts

Fresh Teas &c.

12 Chests Gunpowder, Imperial and Young hyson teas, of the finest importation.

5 pipes Sicily Madeira Wine, well flavoured, and at *a very low price.*

ALSO,

L.P. Madeira, Port, Sherry and Teneriffe wines, with a general assortment of Liquors & Groceries. For sale by

JOHN H. CREASE.

April 19 d3tw&fm6t

Spring Goods.

RECEIVED by the subscribers, at their Warehouse on King street, per the brig Eliza Ann, from Dublin, a general assortment of CUT and PLAIN GLASS, consisting of

Elegant oval & square dishes
Do. sallads
Celery glasses
Decanters
Wines
Tumblers
Jellies
Salts
Tincture rounds
Vase lamps, completely mounted
Flower root glasses
Goblets
Lemonades
Wine coolers
Eggcups
Cock glasses
Pint bottles
Creams
Castor bottles
Nipple shells
Large specious mo. Jan. Patties
Inks
Mustards
Urinals
Pitchers, &c. &c. &c.

ALSO, BY OTHER ARRIVALS,

A general assortment of ENGLISH and CANTON CHINA.

☞ These Goods are handsome, and of the first style of workmanship, and are worthy of the attention of those who wish to purchase.

TRIPLETT & NEALE.

Alex'a, April 17. tf

The editors of the National Intelligencer, Winchester Gazette and Leesburg Genius of Liberty, will insert the above twice a week for four weeks, and send their accounts to this office for collection.

Beaver Hats

A CONSIGNMENT of a few cases of Mens' fashionable BEAVER HATS, of a good quality, put up in cases of two dozen each, well suited for the country trade.

S. B. GODDARD, King st.

april 17 3t

Hardware

BUTTS & CAWOOD, have received and offer for sale, at their store upper end of King street, on moderate terms, a small consignment of HARDWARE—among which are,

Falling axes, broad ditto, adzes
Setts of furniture, coopers' beak irons
Bung borers, grid irons
Drawing knives, cutlasses & sheaths
A general assortment of coopers' tools of every description
Cast iron pots, 2 cast iron chests
Steelyards, pick axes, chizels
Masons' hammers, smoothing planes
Jack planes, nails of different sizes
Chaise springs, one dozen crow bars, large and fit for quarries, &c.

ALSO,

5 puncheons superior Antigua RUM.

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Notice.

THE subscriber having obtained from the Orphans' Court of Charles county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *Joseph Hunt*, late of said county deceased—This is to give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and settle their accounts; and all persons having claims against said decedent are required to bring in their claims on or before the 11th day of October next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

JUDSON HUNT, Adm'r.

april 11 fmawSwt

Land for Sale.

TWO hundred and twenty four Acres of the Tract on which the subscriber at present resides, about four miles from Alexandria. The soil is fertile, and well wooded; few situations in Virginia (from its natural advantages) more desirable than this! having some beautiful scites for building, commanding an extensive view of the Potomac and the adjacent country, comprehending the estates of Mount Vernon, Woodlawn, Hayfield, together with the lands of General T. Mason, and the farm of the late Mrs. Hammersley and others.

If the above property be not disposed of before the 10th day of May, being Saturday, it will then be offered at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, to the highest bidder. The terms of payment will then be made known.

JAMES PATTON.

Clifton Lodge, April 14 mwf2w

For Sale,

A Tract of Land on the Potomac River in Charles County, Maryland about three miles above Maryland Point and containing 758 acres more or less. The above land is at present in the hands of tenants, though calculated for a desirable Farm. It is compact and the soil good and possesses many advantages from its situation, lying on a navigable river and near several good fisheries. Those who feel disposed to purchase, it is presumed will visit the premise; and terms will be made known on application to the subscriber.

George Forbes.

Port Tobacco, March 6 eotf

TO RENT,

For one or a term of years, and immediate possession given—

M WHARF & WAREHOUSE being on the corner of Prince and Union streets, adjoining the fish market and the landing of the upper ferry, renders it a good place for a store. The house is large, & will hold in two rooms twenty thousand bushels of salt or grain.

William Hepburn.

april 10

TO RENT,

The house and premises now occupied by the subscriber, pleasantly situated on Water street, will make a delightful summer residence, and is calculated to accommodate a large family. The occupant doing about leaving the country would rent the above situation until the first of October next at a low rate. For terms, apply to Messrs. Lawrason & Fowle, or to

WM. CRABTREE, Jr.

March 28 1m

A Country House

Is offered for sale by the subscriber, with about 250 acres of LAND, more or less, to suit the convenience of the purchaser. It is situated in Fairfax county, within three miles from Alexandria, and would make a comfortable & most healthy summer retreat. The terms will be liberal and the time of payment made convenient to the purchaser. Apply to

W. CRANCH.

March 20 eotf

For Sale.

The subscriber will sell the House and Lot on Fairfax-street he at present occupies. Whoever wishes to purchase, will of course view the property.

WM. HARPER, Jun.

april 9

FOR SALE,

A tract of Land containing 357 acres, more or less, lying on Occoquan Bay in the county of Fairfax and state of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Robert I. Thompson and William Mason. It is presumed those desirous of purchasing will view the land and for themselves judge of its peculiar advantages. One third of the purchase money will be required in hand, the balance at 12, & 18 months, with a deed of trust to secure the payments.

Thompson F. Mason.

December 14.

Land for Sale.

I WILL sell or exchange for property in the upper country, a tract of Land in Charles county, Maryland, 25 miles below Alexandria and 8 from the town of Dumfries, situated on the Potomac river, between the mouths of Chiccamuxin and Mattawoman Creeks, containing 1200 acres, a large portion of which is well wooded; the arable land is equal in point of soil to any on the river, three hundred acres of which, with a large marsh, may be enclosed with a fence of 200 yards, between the head of Chiccamuxin Creek and the river. The improvements consist of a small and convenient dweling house, with two rooms below and two above, a well of excellent water in the yard, a barn and quarters for the accommodation of negroes. On the above land there are four fisheries inferior to none on the river. The marshes are extremely valuable, as they can from their situation be reclaimed for a trifling expeence—Application must be made to the subscriber residing on the head of Mattawoman Creek near Port Tobacco.

William Mason, jun.

March 18 1awtf

Land for Sale or Exchange.

A tract of land of 340 acres lying at the mouth of Pomonkey Creek, affording every agricultural advantage, with an elegant site for building.

A tract of 544 ACRES, lying about one mile from the former, a considerable portion in wood.

Another about 26 ACRES, about a mile from the first mentioned, entirely in wood of the best quality.

A tract of 331 ACRES, lying on Mattawoman Creek, having the advantages of the best navigation, a good spring and winter fishery. On this farm is a comfortable dwelling house, barn, stables, and other necessary out houses for the accommodation of a family.

A tract of 236 acres about one mile from the mouth of Mattawoman Creek entirely in wood; will cut from 20 to 30 cords per acre which can be sold at the mouth of the above mentioned creek at from 4 to 5 dollars per cord.

A tract of 100 acres at the mouth of Mattawoman Creek upon which is the well known fishery called Rum Point; on it are good out houses for curing any quantity of fish and every necessary convenience. All the above lands are on and near the Potomac, in Charles County Maryland

I will sell low, or exchange for lands in Virginia, any of the aforementioned tracts. It is unnecessary to say any thing as to terms of sale, as any person wishing to purchase would either visit the premises or communicate by letter with the subscriber, residing near the head of Mattawoman Creek, about seven miles from Port Tobacco, Charles county, Maryland.

G. MASON.

february 13 1aw3m

SALES AT VENDUE!

On every Tuesday and Friday,

WILL BE SOLD,

at the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,

A VARIETY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

☞ All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

Sales at Auction.

On Wednesdays and Saturdays,

WILL BE OFFERED,

at the Auction Office on Union street, Between King and Prince—

AN extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others; as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufactors and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities, taking into view the difference of Exchange, etc. etc.

☞ The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.

Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable.

John Jackson & Co.

Auctioneers.

November 27

QUIGLY'S

Burr Mill Stone Manufactory.

THE subscriber has received a large supply of BURR BLOCKS direct from France, and has commenced making Burr Mill Stones, at his shop, upper end of King street, near the store of Mr James Anderson, where he can on a short notice, furnish Stones of any size, warranted equal to any in the United States and on the most reasonable terms.

Michael Quigly.

april 6 tf

Wanted Immediately,

At the Marble Quarry, on the Potomac, Montgomery county, Maryland, one hundred strong, healthy, laboring men, to whom liberal wages will be given: and for strong, healthy, negro men ninety dollars from the 1st of April until the 1st of January next, or in proportion for such time as they shall remain at the Quarry.

By order of the President of the United States,

Samuel Lane, Com'r.

of the P. B. U. States.

Apply to

John Nelson, Esq. Fredericktown, Md

John Littlejohn, Esq. Leesburg, Va.

Joshua Shelton, Esq. near Conrad's Ferry,

Major Neland, at Aldie } Loudoun cy.

Samuel Chapman, Esq. } Virginia.

John Hartnett, at the Quarry,

The printers of this paper,

National Intelligencer, or

To the Commissioner of the Public Buildings of the U. States, at Washington

April 3 d3w

Joseph Spear,

Respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has removed from his old stand to King street, between Patrick and Alfred streets, opposite to Mr. Isaac Gibson's; where he has on hand a quantity of

Cabinet Furniture

Of the newest fashions, and made by the best workmen, which he will sell very low. He is thankful for past favors and solicits a continuance of the public patronage.

april tf

Potomac and *Shenandoah*

Navigation Lottery.

THE drawing of the Lottery will be recommenced on Monday the third of February next.

Tickets to be had of Joseph Brewer, at the Commissioner's Office in Georgetown, and of Jonah Thompson, Agent of said Lottery, in Alexandria.

Elie Williams, Pres't.

December 27

Wood for Sale,

On the subscribers wharf, and of which he expects a further supply of Oak, Hickory & Pine, which will be sold at the Market price, and carts provided to carry a large or small quantity to any part of the town

ISAAC ENTWISLE.

March 22 d1m

Notice.

THE subscriber is solely authorised to receive all debts owing to the late firm of JAMES FLEMING & Co. Being desirous to settle the demands upon said firm as speedily as possible, he requires all those resident in the county indebted thereto, to pay their balance to him on or before the 10th day of May next. He will be under the necessity of ordering suits against those who do not comply.

SAM'L B. LARMOUR.

April 11

Paper for Sale.

David and J. Ross

Have received, per ship Potomac, from Genoa,

87 bales writing paper, assorted

Which they offer for sale on very low terms. They keep a constant supply of first quality chewing tobacco for sale by the quantity. Dec 17

Little River Turnpike Stock

WANTED;

For which cash will be paid at the

Fire Insurance Office.

February 13 tf

A few Shares of Mechanics' Bank Stock, for sale.

Apply to the Printer.

Jan 2 tf

Fish Barrels for Sale.

One hundred and thirty Fish Barrels or sale by

Camillus Griffith

april 2 tf

Albany Oats,

A few hundred bushels of Oats worthy the attention of farmers, can be had by applying to the subscriber, lower end of Duke street.

Wm. H. Brown

March 10

For Sale,

A few casks Messrs Murdock, Youille, Wdrdrop and Co's London Particular Madeira—Quality, fine

W HODGSON

Jan 31

Prime Pork.

JOHN G. LADD & Co.

Offer for sale, landing from the schooner Henrietta—

50 barrels prime PORK.

april 4

Shad and Herrings.

JOHN G. LADD & CO.

Wish to contract to receive at the Landing 25,000 Shad, and 120 000 Herring; for which a fair price will be given.

april 7

NEW ENGLAND RUM.

NOW landing from schooners Liberty and Hazard, at Bayne's wharf,

6 hogsheads } New England Rum.

100 barrels }

15 boxes Canton China, consisting of Plates and Tea Setts—and

Irish Potatoes.

For sale by

DUNBAR & TOWNSEND.

april 16

Fine pale transparent Ale.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has received, this season, a quantity of the above article, (so highly appreciated in this city) under the immediate inspection of Mr. George D. Crosky, late of the firm of Crosky and Say—and which he offers for sale on his usual terms. Also, old and new PORTER, of superior quality.

WILLIAM MORRISON,

No. 79, Chesnut-st. Philadelphia.

☞ Orders from any part of the continent promptly executed.

april 16 d1w*

Piano Fortes.

The subscriber has just received an elegant upright cabinet Piano Forte, on a new construction, of very superior tone, and warranted to stand well in tune—has additional keys and two pedals, one to raise the dampers, the other removes the finger board, so that the hammers strike but one string, by which means it may be made as Piano as necessary.

ON HAND,

four square Pianos, with additonal keys; some of them pronounced by judges to be of excellent quality.

R. GRAY.

March 28

Notice.

Ranaway from the subscriber in Cornwallis's Neck, a negro woman named Phillis, formerly the cook and market woman of Captain Richard Stonestreet, of Broad Creek—I have heard she wishes to get to Philadelphia. I will give One Hundred Dollars if taken in or about Philadelphia; Twenty five if taken in or about Baltimore, and Fifty Dollars if taken in Alexandria or neighborhood, and secured in any jail so that I get her again. I heard lately she was seen in Washington with her free husband, who calls himself William Adams.

Joseph N. Stonestreet.

February 22 tf

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, on Sunday the 6th April, a black man, by the name of *Julius*, but calls himself HENRY, when from home; he has been hired in Alexandria since the first of January as a freeman—he is about 5 feet 6 inches high, stutters or stammers very much when alarmed. I expect he will get employment at some of the fisheries or in a fish boat, or he may make for Baltimore or Philadelphia. I will give the above reward if secured in any jail so that I get gim again.

JEREMIAH COCKERILL,

Fairfax County, Va. near the Court-house.

N. B. I caught him in Alexandria on Saturday the 5th April.

april 12 tf

Fresh Teas,

LAWRASON AND FOWLE

Have now landing, from the brig Economy, captain Farrow, from Boston, and for sale

15 chests fresh young Hyson

50 bags Batavia sugar

4 Hogsheads Muscavado do

16 boxes fresh Turkey Figs

186 Reams wrapping paper

4 bales Burboon & Cattawa gurrahs

1 case Indigo

april 4

LOST.

A Check drawn, by C. Smith, Cashr. on the Mechanic's Bank of Baltimore in favor of John Cox, and by him endorsed dated 21st January, for 28,000 dollars, written on a quarter sheet of letter paper, the finder is requested to return it to either of the parties, or to the Bank of Columbia.

March 1

Alexandria Morocco Manufactory.

At the Corner of Oronoko & Water streets near the Fish wharf,

Where may be had, Morocco for gentlemen's boots, Morocco and American Kid of all colors for ladies' shoes, coach makers' and hatters' Lining Skins, hatters' and spinning wool. The above articles manufactured in the best manner by the subscribers.

John D. Benkhert & Co.

N, B. All kinds of Silks scowered and dyed in the best manner.

November eotf

For Sale,

THAT substantially built & elegantly finished three story *Brick Dwelling House* on Water-street, formerly the residence of the late Dr. *Kennedy*; with which will be sold, either conjointly or separately, the adjoining vacant *Lot*, 25 feet front and 120 feet deep.—The terms of sale will be very accommodating to the purchaser.

If this property be not sold previously to the 15th of May next, it will then be for *Rent* and possession given immediately thereafter.

Application may be made to

J. L. M'Kenna.

april 24 d3t&2awtf

Lands for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of LAND, about 6 or 7 miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of W. H Foote, Esq. containing two hundred and seventy five acres, on which is a small dwelling house, with out houses—the situation is remarkably high and healthy, and the water excellent. This farm is under a good enclosure and divided into four fields, with a sufficiency of wood and timber. It will be offered for sale to the highest bidder, on Wednesday the thirtieth instant, at Neilson's brick tavern, five miles from Alexandria, on the post road to Occoquan.

He also offers for sale.

The PLACE where he now resides, two miles below Occoquan, containing two hundred acres, nearly covered with wood which article is worth four dollars per cord at Occoquan. Not more than twelve acres were cleared on this tract, which is in clover. On the place is a large well finished dwelling house, with a good stable and other out houses This stand is equal to any between Fredericksburg and Alexandria, for a tavern, abounding with excellent springs and very healthy.

Likewise offers for sale,

Another tract of LAND, in Fairfax county, near Centreville, containing two hundred acres, about fifty of which are cleared, the balance covered with heavy timber. On it is a convenient portion of good meadow land, with an orchard of various kinds of fruit, and the springs abundant and very fine.

ZAC'H. WARD.

Prince Wm. Cy. April 14 tawf2w

Valuable Land for Sale,

The subscriber offers for sale, at public Auction, on

Saturday 10th May next,

on the premises, his tract of land lying in the county of Prince William, about thirty miles from Alexandria, and within three miles of the Turnpike road leading thereto, containing upwards of six hundred acres; about two thirds of the land is cleared, and is well adapted to the use of plaister of paris, watered by excellent springs and a never failing stream running through it, with several good mill seats on said stream. There is a mill that is out of use, which may be rebuilt at a very small expense—Houses for the accommodation of a family built on the premises, with an ice house and three hundred young apple trees,

The land that is not in cultivation is in clover and timothy. The above land will be offered to the highest bidder, on the following terms, to wit: about one fifth of the money to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance at four annual instalments, (secured by a lien on the land) bearing interest from the first of November next, at which time possession will be given, and should the purchaser wish to rebuild the mill, possession of that part of the property would be given on the day of sale.

RICHARD B. ALEXANDER,

Residing on the premises.

March 6 tawts

For Rent,

A CONVENIENT and comfortable *HOUSE*, on the lower end of Royal-street, adjoining the house now occupied by Captain Markley. Possession may be had immediately,

N. B. It has dry, paved cellars, with a good stable, smoke house and garden.

JOHN T. BROOKS.

april 11

For Sale,

A TWO story Frame House and Lot, situated on St. Asaph street. For terms, apply to

JOHN A. LONGDEN.

april 17 tf

Fresh Drugs, Medicines, etc.

The subscriber has just received a quantity of the above Goods, of a superior quality. Having purchased them on advantageous terms, physicians & country merchants can be supplied at reduced prices.

A. B. DICK.

A constant supply of Chewing Tobacco, Spanish Segars and Rappee Snuff.

april 7 eo2w

Bolting Cloths.

The subscriber has just received by the General Lingan, Captain Weston, from Amsterdam, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Mr. James Anderson.

Amos Alexander.

October 6 tf

PUBLIC UTILITY.

THE Subscriber anxious to promote the interest of the Manufactories of the United States, has become AGENT for the Mount Hebron Cotton Mills and offers for sale at his Store on Prince street,

A general assortment of

COTTON YARN,

At the Baltimore prices.

The quality of this Yarn has given general satisfaction to those who have purchased heretofore. All orders will be punctually attended to.

The Public are also informed, that a machine of superior construction is in operation at said mill for carding Wool—the work will be executed in the best manner. To accommodate customers to this machine, he will receive at his store any parcels of Wool, forward them to the mill, and the rolls returned to his store for delivery. The wool should be washed clean, and oiled with clean soft oil, accompanied with a blanket, it being the most suitable for the preservation of the rolls when carded.

Terms of Carding.

Country Wool 10 cents per lb

Half blood Merino 12½

Full blood do 15—and an addition of two cents per lb for country—two and an half cents for half blood, & three cents for full blood when the carder finds oil.

Mordecai Miller.

March 22 eo3m

WANTED,

A few hogsheads of Maryland Tobacco. Apply to

Mordecai Miller, or

Thomas H Howland.

4 mo 5 eo3w

Fire Insurance.

The Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria, continue to insure buildings, furniture, merchandize and other property, from loss by fire. The condition and terms, may be learned upon application at their office, next door to the City Hotel, and will be found as moderate & equitable as those of any other company.

The rates of premium are calculated in reference to the actual risk of property, and are as low as 25 cents per 100 dollars per annum for hazards of the best description, increasing proportionably for risks of a more hazardous nature. Insurances may be made for one or more years, or shorter periods.

Columbian Insurance Office, Feb. 20.

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NOTICE.

Fire Insurance Company of Alexandria,

Insurance Office, March 10, 1817.

THE Stockholders in this institution are hereby notified that they are required to pay at this office, an instalment of one dollar per share on each share of stock respectively held by them, on or before the 8th day of May next.

By order of the President & Directors.

J. B. NICKOLLS, Sec'y.

March 11 law8thMay

Franklin Bank of Alexandria.

NOTICE is hereby given, That on the first Monday in May next, Books will be opened in Bank to receive Subscriptions for the balance of the Capital Stock of said Corporation. Five Dollars on each share will be required at the time of subscribing—Five Dollars in thirty days thereafter—Two Dollars and Fifty Cents on the third of July next—and the balance as may be called for by the President and Directors. The Books will remain open three days, from ten o'clock AM. until two PM. unless sooner filled. By order of the Board.

William Rhodes. Cash'r.

april 7 2aw4w